

NEWS OF OHIO.

Gathered by Telegraph From All Parts of the State.

Executive Committee Chosen.

Columbus, Sept. 9.—John R. McLean, the democratic nominee for governor, met with the state central committee Friday to select an executive committee to conduct the campaign. The following were chosen: Herman Groesbeck, Cincinnati; William Shine, Sidney; D. D. Donovan, Deshler; Frank Harper, Mount Vernon; F. H. Southard, Zanesville; O. S. Rockwell, Kent; C. N. Haskell, Ottawa. The executive committee will meet here next Wednesday. It is understood that Hon. John P. Seward, of Mansfield, the democratic elector chosen from this state in 1892, will be chairman. Edward Wisniewski, who has for years been Mr. McLean's private secretary, will be the secretary of the committee.

Ohioans Get Army Appointments.

Washington, Sept. 9.—The following appointments of Ohioans in the volunteer army are announced: To be captains: F. J. Herman, late captain First Ohio cavalry; Tiffin Gilmore, late adjutant Seventh Ohio; A. B. Coit, late colonel Fourth Ohio; Charles E. Haake, jr., late captain Company I, First Ohio; George T. McConnell, late captain Ohio artillery; A. C. Rogers, late captain First Ohio cavalry; A. B. Rott, late major, Tenth Ohio. To be first lieutenants: W. F. Herringshaw, late second lieutenant Fifth Ohio; Yost, late captain Eighth Ohio. To be second lieutenants: Edward P. Barber, sergeant major Eighth Ohio.

Locomotive Blockades the Track.

Lima, Sept. 12.—The threatened rupture between the Detroit & Lima Northern and the Ohio Southern roads about the use of the latter's tracks from here to St. Johns for the Columbus division of the former, reached a climax Monday. The Ohio Southern notified the D. & L. N. several months ago, to vacate when its time was up. It was notified again last week. The time was up Saturday. Monday morning the Ohio Southern ran an engine out on the track, blockading the Columbus passenger train. It is still tied up. The matter will go into court.

A Tornado in Wayne County.

Woooster, Sept. 9.—Wayne county was visited by a terrible wind and electrical storm Thursday night that did enormous damage. At the home of John Butt, near Lattasburg, Butt and his son were caught in the wreckage and killed. Burns owned by Mrs. Behl and John Corson were struck by lightning and burned with crops and machinery. The new barn of Jacob Geiselman, just east of the city, was torn from its foundation, wrecking the new structure and killing two horses.

An Anti-Calculum Carbide Crusade.

Columbus, Sept. 12.—On the suggestion of Fire Chief Lauer, the Columbus board of public works has decided to send an ordinance to the council to prohibit storage within city limits of more than a small quantity of calcium carbide, the acetylene gas generator used in bicycle lamps. Lauer says it is more dangerous than dynamite and that there is enough of it in Columbus stores to blow the whole city up.

Destructive Storm in Wood County.

Bowling Green, Sept. 7.—A destructive wind storm passed over Wood county, north of this place, Tuesday night, doing many thousands of dollars' damage in the oil field and on farm property. The path of the hurricane was about 20 rods wide. Orchards were torn down and forest trees uprooted. Barns and houses were unroofed and in one house a bed was blown out of a window.

Will Build a Huge Steel Plant.

Youngstown, Sept. 8.—The Republic Iron and Steel Co. has begun active preparations for constructing a \$1,000,000 Bessemer steel plant on the Brown-Bonell property in this city. The plant will have a daily output of 600 tons and the production will be used to supply the mills of the company in this city and its vicinity.

Three Persons Die in a Vault.

Cincinnati, Sept. 12.—A four-year-old child fell into a vault on Clinton street Monday and fire company No. 8 was summoned. Firemen Thomas Bland and Henry Hinsheimer descended into the vault to recover the child, but the men were overcome by the foul gases and died. The child also died.

New Yorkers Control the Field.

Toledo, Sept. 9.—Thomas & Arney, of New York, yesterday bought 300 acres of Wood county oil lands. The price paid was \$30,000. This deal puts nearly the entire producing Wood county fields into the New York firm's control.

McLean's Expense Statement.

Columbus, Sept. 7.—This statement of John R. McLean of his expenses in securing the democratic nomination for governor was filed with the secretary of state yesterday: "No promises or traveling expenses. Incidentals, \$500."

Elected a Campaign Manager.

Toledo, Sept. 12.—At a conference yesterday of the friends of Mayor Jones, J. B. Bartlett, of this city, was elected manager of the independent campaign. A complete county organization is to be made.

Workmen Burned to Death.

Lorain, Sept. 12.—Frank Levitts, an employee of the blast furnaces, was dumping a clinder ladle Sunday night and a piece of hot slag, two feet square and eight inches thick, fell on him. He was badly burned and was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, where he died Monday morning. He was a native of Austria, 51 years old. His family is in Austria.

Respondent Must Satisfy.

Springfield, Sept. 12.—John Moore, aged 55, killed himself Sunday by shooting. He was a cripple and was despondent.

BIG VESSELS ON SHOW.

Parade of Battleships and Cruisers on the Delaware River at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Sept. 9.—The thirty-third encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, which began here last Monday, came to an end Friday afternoon when a naval review was held on the Delaware river. The ships reviewed were those of the North Atlantic squadron, composed of the flagship New York, cruiser Brooklyn, battleships Indiana, Massachusetts and Texas. It was the greatest of the three naval reviews that has been held on the Delaware within a year. The weather was perfect, the number of boats in line was very large and the crowds that lined both the Pennsylvania and New Jersey shores on the river far outnumbered those that have witnessed the previous reviews.

The official reviewing party was composed of Gov. Stone and staff, of Pennsylvania; Mayor Ashbridge, of this city; Capt. James H. Sands, United States navy; Senator Penrose, James Latta and Maj. Richard S. Collum, of the G. A. R.

Promptly at two o'clock the flagship McCauley, with Commodore Josiah R. Adams, gave the signal for the start and the vessels got into line. Following the flagship came the revenue cutter with the reviewing party aboard. Then came the revenue cutters Gresham, Algonquin, Manning and Onondaga. These were followed by light-house tenders, private yachts, steamboats with G. A. R. delegates aboard and a great line of excursion boats, in all over 100 vessels. The journey of the vessels up the river to the squadron, a distance of seven miles, was a continuous ovation. When the head of the parade came abreast of the New York the latter fired the governor's salute and the Windows returned the salute of the admiral. The other warships also saluted the governor. In the vicinity of the squadron the wharves and buildings were crowded with people, and when the parade was passing the fighting ships a deafening noise was made. Every steam vessel on the river let loose its whistle, as did also all the factories along the shores.

After the review was over Gov. Stone and his staff were taken on board the New York, where Admiral Sampson tendered them an informal reception. Camp James A. Sexton, in Fairmont park, in which nearly 10,000 veterans had been sheltered during the encampment, came to an end at four o'clock Friday afternoon.

MUCH LOSS OF LIFE.

It is feared that many have perished through recent violent storms on Eastern Coast.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Sept. 9.—Reports which have been received here from ports throughout the province and from the north indicate that the heavy gale of Wednesday night was very disastrous to fishing and coasting craft. The storm appears to have been the most severe on the Gulf of St. Lawrence, from Cape Breton to Quebec. It is believed that at least a dozen lives were lost. Hundreds of fishing boats along the island coast and northern New Brunswick were smashed to pieces, and in several cases the occupants were drowned. Three bodies have come ashore near South Kildare. In all, eight or nine men were lost at that point.

NEED MORE HELP.

Broom Corn Raisers in Illinois Make a Novel Request of Gov. Tanner.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 9.—Telegrams from Clark county to Gov. Tanner state that the storm of Thursday has blown all the broom corn down, and that the farmers there are needing additional help, in consequence, to harvest it. If the corn is not harvested the loss will amount to thousands of dollars. The governor is asked if he cannot send convict labor there to assist in the harvest. Col. Mack Tanner, the governor's private secretary, telegraphed suggesting the propriety of advertising in the newspapers for help.

The Iowa Campaign.

Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 9.—A conference of the republican state central committee, with Senators Allison and Gear, members of congress, state officers and nominees, was held here Friday to arrange for the coming campaign. It was decided to open the campaign officially by set speeches in every congressional district on October 7. As to the issue, it was decided to meet anything the democrats might choose to discuss, which will most likely be the Philippine war and trusts. The democratic campaign will open at Davenport on the 15th of this month.

Charged with Polygamy.

Salt Lake City, Sept. 9.—Heber J. Grant was arraigned before Judge Norrell Friday afternoon on the charge of polygamy, to which, by his attorney, Franklin S. Richards, he pleaded guilty. The defendant waived the time for passing sentence, the court ruling that this could be done in cases of misdemeanor, when Judge Norrell ordered that he pay a fine of \$100 or be imprisoned in the county jail one day for each dollar thereof unpaid. The fine was paid.

Jimenes for President.

Porto Plata, Santo Domingo, Sept. 9.—Telegrams from Gov. Imbert tell of enthusiastic and brilliant receptions in honor of Gen. Jimenes at Santiago de los Caballeros and Moca. He is announced as a candidate for the presidency. Business is rapidly recovering from the depression caused by the uprising.

Peru's New President.

Lima, Peru, Sept. 9.—Senhor Eduardo Romana, former senator for Arequipa, was on Friday inaugurated as president of the republic of Peru for the term of four years, in succession to Senhor Nicolas Pirola. The city is quiet.

A TRAIN ROBBED.

Bandits Blow Open Express Company's Strong Box in Arizona. and Secure \$40,000.

Benson, A. T., Sept. 11.—Four masked men held up Southern Pacific train No. 10, west-bound, at Cachise station, shortly before midnight, blew open Wells, Fargo & Co.'s through-money safe with dynamite, took the treasure it contained and escaped to the mountains. The robbery was the boldest of all the famous train robberies of the west. Not a shot was fired and no one received the slightest injury.

Cachise station is a lonely place on the alkali flat, ten miles west of Willcox, and 32 miles west of Benson. The station, freight house and section house form the only relief to the monotony of a vast rolling plain. Just as the train stopped at the station the four masked men appeared. One mounted the engine cab and covered Engineer Richardson with a revolver, while two stood guard at the side door of the express car. The fourth guarded the coaches and sleepers from a point at the rear of the express car.

One of the two men that stood at the door of the express car jumped aboard and ordered "Hands up." He then told Express Messenger Adair to leave the car. As Adair jumped to the ground the other bandit searched him for arms, but a hip pocket he found \$25.

"That's my private property," said Adair.

"You may have it; we don't want your money," said the bandit.

The man at the rear of the car uncoupled it, and at a signal the engine was ordered to pull out. The express car was taken westward a mile or more, then the through-express safe was thrown out to the ground, and blown open by dynamite. All bills and gold were taken. Messenger Adair refused to say how much the safe contained, but it is estimated that the sum was exceedingly large. One railroad man expressed the opinion that the strong box might have contained close to \$40,000. Several thousand silver dollars in the car were untouched by the robbers. None of the passengers were molested. After the contents of the safe had been taken care of the unknown quartette allowed Engineer Richardson to run back to the train. Then they disappeared on foot to a point where their horses were tethered and rode away.

JAMES B. EUSTIS IS DEAD.

Ex-Ambassador to France Expires of Pneumonia at Newport, R. I.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 11.—James B. Eustis, ambassador to France during the second Cleveland administration and formerly a senator from Louisiana, died at his summer home in this city at eight o'clock Saturday night of pneumonia. Mr. Eustis was taken ill on Wednesday, but the local physician



JAMES B. EUSTIS.

after an examination thought the trouble to be heart failure. The funeral will take place this evening at 7:30 o'clock from the home of the deceased on Eustis avenue. A short Episcopal service will be conducted by Rev. Henry Morgan Stone, rector of Trinity church, and then the body will be taken by boat to New York, and thence to Louisville, Ky., where it will be buried beside the remains of Mrs. Eustis.

James Biddle Eustis was born in New Orleans, La., in 1834. His mother was a Louisiana, but his father came from New England. After being graduated from the Harvard law school in 1854 Mr. Eustis practiced law in New Orleans until the civil war, when he entered the confederate army as judge advocate. In 1876 he was elected a United States senator. He was reelected in 1885, and in 1892 was appointed by President Cleveland as American minister and later ambassador to France, a position he held more than four years.

A FATAL PLUNGE.

An Unknown Man Climbs Over the Railing of Brooklyn Bridge and Leaps to His Death.

New York, Sept. 11.—Midway between the two great towers of the Brooklyn bridge Sunday morning a man whose name no one knows climbed over the railing and went to his death in the East river. He turned over and over as he fell, according to eyewitnesses whom the police found, and struck upon his back. The body sank, but reappeared and was visible for a short time as the flood tide carried it up the river. The bridge police have the man's hat, coat and shoes, all telling of extreme poverty, none of which furnish the slightest clue to his identity.

Killed by a Woman.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 11.—A young man named William Morrison, whose parents live at 89 Cumberland street, was shot and killed Sunday afternoon by Mrs. Mary Schwartz, who lives just outside the city limits. Morrison, with several companions, picked flowers in Mrs. Schwartz's yard. When she protested Morrison assaulted her, pulling her hair and hitting her with a fence picket. The woman ran into the house, got a revolver and shot Morrison through the head. She gave herself up to the police and was charged with manslaughter.

DREYFUS CONVICTED.

Court-Martial Finds Him Guilty of Treason.

Sentenced to Serve Ten Years in Prison—The Condemned Man Thinks He Will Be Pardoned, However—Indignation at the Result.

Renne, Sept. 11.—Dreyfus has been found guilty and sentenced to ten years' imprisonment.

The court stood 5 to 2 for the condemnation of the prisoner, but found extenuating circumstances existed.

The crowd outside the court soon greeted the verdict with cheers for the army.

When the verdict was read to Dreyfus he gave not the slightest sign of emotion, did not utter a word and marched back to prison like an automaton.

Dreyfus' Last Protest.

At the conclusion of speeches by M. Demange and Maj. Carriere, Col. Jouaust, president of the court, asked Dreyfus if he had anything to add in his behalf. The prisoner rose and in a voice choked with emotion declared he had only one thing to say, but of that he was perfectly assured. He said:

"I affirm before my country and before the army that I am innocent. My sole aim has been to save the honor of my name, the name borne by my children. I have suffered five years of the most awful torture. But to-day, at last, I feel assured that I am about to attain my desire, through your loyalty and justice."

Col. Jouaust—Have you finished, Dreyfus?

Dreyfus—Yes, Mr. President.

The court then retired to deliberate, and the prisoner left the hall, never to return, as, in accordance with the law, the verdict was rendered in his absence.

Verdict Rendered.

The ringing of a bell announced the entry of the judges, an officer ordered "Carry arms," and "Present arms," the rattle of rifles followed, and then Col. Jouaust marched in, saluted, and laid his kept on the table. The other judges did likewise, the gendarmes shouted "Silence," and the stillness of death fell on the audience who were waiting heart in mouth for the announcement of Dreyfus' fate.

Col. Jouaust then began reading the judgment, which opened with the question referred to the judges by the court of cassation: "Was Dreyfus guilty of entering into machinations to send secret documents to a foreign power?"

He then gave the answer that the court, by a majority of five to two, found Dreyfus guilty.

The gendarmes then closed around the audience and pressed them outside. Not a cry or a word was raised by anyone.

Everything passed off with perfect calm.

As the people emerged the gendarmes kept them moving away from the court. The small crowd of people outside cheered for the army, but the gendarmes did not interfere and there was not the slightest disorder.

Dreyfus Appears Unmoved.

The judgment was read to Dreyfus in an adjoining little room by the clerk of the court, M. Coupois. Dreyfus listened impassively, did not give the slightest sign of emotion, did not utter a word, and marched back to prison like an automaton.

It is understood Dreyfus will be sent to Fort Corte, in the island of Corsica. A large crowd, which the police kept moving, waited around the square in which the telegraph office and the principal cafes are situated. When the people learned the court had been out an hour, it was argued that this meant a disagreement in favor of Dreyfus. The first indication to these watchers that a result had been reached was when a soldier on a bicycle came tearing along as fast as he could from the Lycee towards the artillery barracks.

Dreyfus Holds Up Well.

Renne, Sept. 11.—Dreyfus passed a quiet night and rose when his orderly brought him water at five o'clock Sunday morning, just as he did during the trial, when it was necessary. Mme. Dreyfus and Mathieu Dreyfus, his brother, visited him during the course of the afternoon, his brother subsequently leaving for Paris. The application to the court of revision was taken to him at noon by Maître Labori's assistant and he signed it. He has spoken but little, though he has seemed in better spirits than might have been anticipated. The meeting with his wife was naturally very affecting, but both held up as well as possible.

Expects to Be Released.

He is convinced that the ten years' imprisonment to which he is sentenced will be wiped out by the five years of solitary seclusion he has undergone on Devil's Island, and he expects to be released by October 15, which will be five years from the date of his former condemnation. He is so sanguine that he has made an extraordinary request of his wife for a novel to read in the meantime, explaining that his mind is so shaken and weighed down by recent events that he needs to divert his thoughts and try to get all the recollections of the last three months out of his mind. He thinks that reading a novel will afford the desired mental repose and keep him from brooding.

Quiet in Paris.

Paris, Sept. 11.—The day has been one of absolute quiet, with no public excitement, not even in the Rue de Chabrol. There was a rainfall in the afternoon and the streets were practically deserted. Slight disturbances occurred yesterday at Marseilles and Belfort after the verdict of the Dreyfus court-martial was published. The demonstrators stoned the residence of Jacques Dreyfus, brother of the condemned, at Belfort, breaking the windows and otherwise damaging the structure. Many persons were arrested in both places.

Wellington Secret Orders.

TRIBE OF BEN-HUR.

MELCHOIR COURT, No. 28, T. B. H., meets every second Monday evening of each month in Grand Army hall. Visiting members made welcome.

A. G. Wall, Chief.

B. Vanator, Scribe.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

HAMLIN POST, No. 219, G. A. R., meets every second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at Grand Army hall.

Visiting comrades are welcome.

A. W. Griggs, Commander.

C. Sage, Adjutant.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

WOODBINE CAMP, No. 60, meets each second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at Grand Army hall.

Visiting sovereigns welcome.

HOWARD HOLLENBACH, Camp Commander.

Claude R. Lebeck, Clerk.

ORDER OF CHOSEN FRIENDS.

LODGE No. 64, meets first and third Fridays of each month at Royal Arcanum hall. Visiting Chosen Friends welcome.

F. H. Phelps, Councilor.

Mrs. L. A. Willard, secretary.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

LODGE No. 563 meets every second and fourth Mondays of each month at Royal Arcanum hall. Visiting members welcome.

E. W. Adams, Regent.

R. N. Goodwin, Sec'y.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

Lorain Lodge, No. 291, meets every Tuesday night at Odd Fellows' Hall. Visiting members welcome.

J. O. Lang, Noble Grand.

R. T. Spicer, Recording Secretary.

WELLINGTON ENCAMPMENT, I. O. O. F., No. 247.

Meets on second and fourth Thursdays of each month at Odd Fellows' Hall. Visiting members welcome.

John Pember, Chief Patriarch.

A. H. Peirce, Scribe.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES.

Wellington Tent, No. 195, meets on the second and fourth Fridays of each month at Maccabee Hall. Visiting Knights welcome.

J. H. Yocum, Commander.

W. W. Helman, Record Keeper.

MASONIC.

WELLINGTON LODGE, No. 127, F. & A. M., meets Tuesday night on or before each full moon and two weeks thereafter.

Wes. W. Metzger, W. M.

F. G. Yale, Secretary.

WELLINGTON CHAPTER, No. 109, R. A. M., meets on Tuesday night following each full moon.

E. R. Stannard, High Priest.

F. G. Yale, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Wellington Lodge, No. 440, K. of P., meets every Friday night at K. of P. Hall. Visiting Knights welcome.

W. T. Burdick, Chancellor Com.

R. T. Spicer, Keeper of Records and Seals.

LADIES OF THE MACCABEES.

Wellington Hive, No. 89, meets on the first and third Friday nights of each month at Maccabee Hall. Visiting lady Maccabees welcome.

Mrs. Alice Yocum, Commander.

Mrs. Emma Coates, Record Keeper.

W. R. C.

Hamlin Relief Corps, No. 28, meets on the first and third Tuesday nights of each month at Grand Army Hall. Visitors welcome.

Mrs. H. A. Knapp, President.

Mrs. Ada Kerns, Secretary.

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